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TO: All Agencies/Campuses in the Uniform State Payroll System

FROM: Debra Spellman, Chief  
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**RE: 2018 STATE DISABILITY INSURANCE (SDI) RATES**

The Employment Development Department published the new 2018 State Disability Insurance rates. For 2018, the withholding rate increased to 1.0% of eligible earnings. The annual taxable wage limit also increased to \$114,967 per employee with a maximum contribution of \$1,149.67. These changes will take effect beginning with payments issued January 1, 2018.

If you have any questions regarding this letter, please contact Elena Oberman at [eoberman@sco.ca.gov](mailto:eoberman@sco.ca.gov).

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